

United States Department of Agriculture National Agricultural Statistics Service 2014 Organic Survey - Utah



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Organic Highlights

In 2014, the United States had 14,093 organic farms producing \$5.5 billion in organic products. The number of organic farms varies across the country. Utah had 60 organic farms that produced \$18.5 million in total value of organic products sold.

Of the 60 organic farms identified in the 2014 Organic Survey for Utah, 60 were certified organic. There were 29 farms with 100 percent total value of sales from certified organic production, compared to 13 farms with 75 to 99 percent, 2 farms with 50 to 74 percent, 7 farms with 25 to 49 percent, and 9 farms with less than 25 percent.

The 2014 Organic Survey provides acreage, production, and sales data for a variety of organic crops and inventory and sales data for organic livestock commodities. The 2014 survey collected data from U.S. farms and ranches that were certified organic, exempt from organic certification, or transitioning to organic certification. This survey was done in conjunction with the USDA's Risk Management Agency to aid in improving insurance products for organic agriculture.

Organic Sales as Percent of Market Value of All Agricultural Products Sold - Certified Organic Farms: 2014

Geographic area	Farms	Farms by percent of total value of sales from organic production				
		Less than 25 percent	25 to 49 percent	50 to 74 percent	75 to 99 percent	100 percent
United States Utah	12,634 60	1,067 9	693 7	1,044 2	2,563 13	7,267 29

Certified Organic Acres Operated: 2014

Item	United States	Utah
Total certified organic acres operated	12,595 3,642,933	59 120,437
Land ownedfarms acres	10,970 2,195,232	53 89,141
Land rented from others	5,446 1,505,912	21 31,296
Land rented to others	475 58,211	-

⁻ Represents zero.